

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN  
GREEN BAY DIVISION

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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY	)	
COMMISSION,	)	Case No. 22-CV-1149
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	Green Bay, WI
v.	)	
	)	
LAKESIDE PLASTICS, INC.,	)	January 4, 2023
	)	9:22 a.m.
Defendant.	)	

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TRANSCRIPT OF RULE 16 TELEPHONE SCHEDULING CONFERENCE  
BEFORE THE HONORABLE WILLIAM C. GRIESBACH  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

(Transcript of audio recording.)

THE COURT: Okay. Good morning. This is Judge Griesbach, and I'll call the case of Equal Employment Opportunity Commission versus Lakeside Plastics, Inc. This is Case No. 22-CV-1149. And this is a telephone conference to address scheduling. The counsel have given their appearances for the clerk, so we'll just go through your report.

You're going to make your initial disclosures on or before January 18th of 2023. You can amend pleadings without leave of the Court, add additional parties, on or before January 31st of 2023. Let's see, the initial disclosures by plaintiff should include a initial itemization of damages, and that's all by January 18th again.

Plaintiff's expert witness disclosure pursuant to Rule 26(a)(2) would be by September 1st of 2023. Defendant's expert disclosure in response by November 1st of 2023. Expert discovery to be completed by January 1st of 2024. And then dispositive motions are due on February -- no later than February 1st of 2024 with the usual briefing schedule as the local rules provide.

Let's see. If you're -- if we follow that briefing schedule and dispositive motions come in as late as February 1st, then it's going to be, let's see, mid to late March before it's fully briefed. So you've agreed that Rule 26(a)(3)

1 submissions, deposition designations, motions in limine,  
2 proposed voir dire, jury instructions or verdict forms to be  
3 filed by July 11th of 2024, and then you're looking for a final  
4 pretrial at 9:00 o'clock on July 25th with trial to commence on  
5 August 1st. Usually like to do a pretrial a little bit before  
6 that, earlier than that usually. Let's see what our calendars  
7 look like on those dates.

8 July 25th pretrial. How about -- how about doing it at  
9 1:30 in the afternoon?

10 MS. BURNSIDE: That's fine with me.

11 THE COURT: Now, you're coming up from Milwaukee or  
12 further?

13 MS. BURNSIDE: I'm from Minneapolis actually.

14 THE COURT: Yeah, okay. You can take the early flight  
15 and probably get out yet that day.

16 Okay? And then --

17 MS. BURNSIDE: Okay.

18 THE COURT: -- let's say a trial -- I usually like to  
19 do the pretrial, you know, close to a month or at least a few  
20 weeks before the trial. So I'd be looking for later August.  
21 And you estimate three days maybe for the trial, four?

22 MS. BURNSIDE: Yes, about three or four days.

23 THE COURT: Okay. How about if we look at a trial  
24 date of, hmm, how about the 20 -- the 19th of August?

25 MS. BURNSIDE: That's fine with the EEOC.

1 THE COURT: That would start at 8:30. And defendant?

2 MS. HAASE: That does work.

3 THE COURT: Ms. Haase? Okay.

4 MS. HAASE: Yes, that does work.

5 THE COURT: Okay. We'll put these dates in an order,  
6 then, and send that out from you -- out to you and then wait to  
7 hear. If you wish to use a magistrate judge for mediating the  
8 case, feel free to let us know. If both parties are in  
9 agreement that they wish to mediate, we'll be happy to refer  
10 the case to a magistrate judge, and that service is without  
11 cost to you. You're free to seek other mediation or other  
12 formal or informal means of dispute resolution; or if you're  
13 convinced that you need a jury to decide this, we've got it set  
14 for that as well. Okay?

15 MS. BURNSIDE: Okay. Thank you.

16 MS. HAASE: -- your Honor.

17 THE COURT: Anything else to put on the record today?

18 MS. BURNSIDE: Nothing from the EEOC.

19 MS. HAASE: Nothing from defense.

20 THE COURT: Okay. Thank you all, then. Goodbye.

21 MS. BURNSIDE: Thank you.

22 (At 9:28 a.m. the hearing ended.)

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